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TITLE OF INVENTION: HAND-HELD BROWSER TRANSCODING

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Determination of Patent Term Adjustment under 35 U.S.C. 154 (b) (application filed on or after May 29, 2000)

The Patent Term Adjustment to date is 1924 day(s). If the issue fee is paid on the date that is three months after the mailing date of this notice and the patent issues on the Tuesday before the date that is 28 weeks (six and a half months) after the mailing date of this notice, the Patent Term Adjustment will be 1924 day(s).

If a Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) was filed in the above-identified application, the filing date that determines Patent Term Adjustment is the filing date of the most recent CPA.

Applicant will be able to obtain more detailed information by accessing the Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) WEB site (<http://pair.uspto.gov>).

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Notice of Allowability**Application No.**

10/047,213

Applicant(s)

ARNOLD ET AL.

Examiner

Nitin Patel

Art Unit

2629

-- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address--

All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this application. If not included herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course. **THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS.** This application is subject to withdrawal from issue at the initiative of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313 and MPEP 1308.

1. ☒ This communication is responsive to 6/22/2010.
2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 30-46.
3. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some* c) ☐ None of the:
1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____.
3. ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this national stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

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5. ☐ CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.
(a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached
1) ☐ hereto or 2) ☐ to Paper No./Mail Date _____.
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Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the front (not the back) of each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the header according to 37 CFR 1.121(d).
6. ☐ DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

Attachment(s)

1. ☒ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
2. ☐ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
3. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (PTO/SB/08),
Paper No./Mail Date _____
4. ☐ Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit of Biological Material
5. ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application
6. ☐ Interview Summary (PTO-413),
Paper No./Mail Date _____
7. ☐ Examiner's Amendment/Comment
8. ☒ Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance
9. ☐ Other _____.

/Nitin Patel/
Primary Examiner, Art Unit 2629

Continued Examination Under 37 CFR 1.114

1. A request for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114, including the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(e), was filed in this application after allowance or after an Office action under *Ex Parte Quayle*, 25 USPQ 74, 453 O.G. 213 (Comm'r Pat. 1935). Since this application is eligible for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114, and the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(e) has been timely paid, prosecution in this application has been reopened pursuant to 37 CFR 1.114. Applicant's submission filed on 06/22/2010 has been entered.

REASON FOR ALLOWANCE

2. Claims 30-46 are allowed. Claims 1-29 have been cancelled.

3. The following is an examiner's statement of reason for allowance:

Tsuji et al., (US 6,522,347) teaches The bus line of the CPU 18 is connected to a storage, section 12 which comprises members, as shown FIG. 13, such as a controller section 22A to store management programs, and a real data section 22B to store various types of real data. The data in the real data section 22B, which will be described later in detail, is preferably stored in a medium such as a ROM or a RAM. The ROM in this case comprises a data memory to store icon character data, menu-screen background character (background image) data, font data, and layout-position data defining positions of individual icons on the background image. The ROM in this case also comprises a program memory to store various programs including a program to display menus of this embodiment, a function program defining various functions of the apparatus of this embodiment, a boot program which drives the CPU

18 to boot the apparatus system when the apparatus 2 is switched on, and various other programs including a display program predefined in a first to a fourth display definition sections. The boot program is structured such that when the portable apparatus 1 is switched on, the program accesses the storage section 182 of the PC 180 to read data of web browser, various communication protocols, and others to download the retrieved data to the RAM.

Barr et al., (US 7,283,141) shows the system may further include a module for transmitting the presentation over a network to a remote computer. The visual information may include a portable document format (PDF) document. The lens surface for rendering the region of interest may be defined by the distortion function. The region of interest, the lens surface, and the lens surface shape may include a plurality of regions of interest, a plurality of lens surfaces, and a plurality of lens surface shapes, respectively. The visual information may include one or more of newspapers, magazines, telephone directories, and maps. The visual information may include web page content. The display screen may be contained in a handheld device. The visual information may be a newspaper page. The newspaper page may include one or more of a plurality of headlines, columns, articles, graphics, and advertisements. The region of interest may include one or more of a headline, a column, an article, a graphic, and an advertisement. The lens surface shape may have a shape corresponding to that of the region of interest. The lens surface shape may have a shape corresponding to a column. The transformation may increase the font size within a portion of the column. The lens surface shape may be tapered to provide a

continuous transition on at least one side of the portion of the column to undistorted text. And, the system may further include a module for scaling the visual information to fit on the display screen.

Silverman et al., (US 7,738,766) teaches the transcoder 214 performs transcoding of the to-be-transferred formatted-media content under the direction of the transcode manager 212. The process of transcoding formatted-media-content (e.g., "media files") is well-known and may include (depending on device capabilities), for example, converting a media file from one format to another (e.g., MP3 to WMA), so the file will play on the target playback device 104, down-sampling a media file to a lower bit rate for compatibility with the target device and to reduce the amount of storage space needed on the target device, and adapting the screen size of a video file so the video plays back correctly on the target playback device. Transcoding is often used to convert a media file to a format having lower CPU requirements for decoding, since "desktop" content may be too complex to decode effectively on a device with a lower-powered processor such as a portable media playback device. Transcoding can also include various other processes for altering media files, and those mentioned herein are included by way of example only, and not by way of limitation. Thus, other examples of transcoding include altering the word length of individual data samples (e.g. 24 bit to 16 bit), independently of the actual bit rate, altering the complexity profile of the encoder portion of the transcoding process to a more complex or more simple resultant file for purposes of managing CPU requirements at the destination device,

and changing representative color spaces between the source and destination files as required by the target device (e.g. YUV to RGB, or vice versa).

The prior art fails to teach or suggest a method of **processing data using a portable electronic device, said method comprising: accessing first data comprising a web page; transcoding, using a processor of said portable electronic device to execute code stored on said portable electronic device, said first data to generate second data; and displaying, using a display device of said portable electronic device, said second data** as claimed in claim 30.

The prior art fails to teach or suggest a portable electronic device having a processor operable to transcode first data to generate second data wherein the first data comprises a web page and wherein the processor is further operable to transcode the first data by executing code stored on the portable electronic device and a display device operable to display the second data as claimed in claim 38.

The prior art fails to teach or suggest a method of processing data using a portable electronic device, the method having accessing first data comprising a web page; transcoding using an application stored on the portable electronic device, the first data to generate second data, wherein the transcoding further comprises modifying the web page in accordance with an attribute of the portable electronic device and displaying using a display device of the portable electronic device the second data as claimed in claim 46.

4. Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably

accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Conclusion

5. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Nitin Patel whose telephone number is 571-272-7677. The examiner can normally be reached on 8:00-5:00.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Shalwala Bipin can be reached on 571-272-7681. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

Information regarding the status of an application may be obtained from the Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) system. Status information for published applications may be obtained from either Private PAIR or Public PAIR. Status information for unpublished applications is available through Private PAIR only. For more information about the PAIR system, see <http://pair-direct.uspto.gov>. Should you have questions on access to the Private PAIR system, contact the Electronic Business Center (EBC) at 866-217-9197 (toll-free). If you would like assistance from a USPTO Customer Service Representative or access to the automated information system, call 800-786-9199 (IN USA OR CANADA) or 571-272-1000.

/Nitin Patel/
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